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Subject : Filling up vacancies of Technician Gr-III/ AC in Electrical Department in Pay Matrix Level- 2 (7th PCP) against 25% LDCE Quota.

Last Date of application : 18/11/2026

A. Cadre Details

Department	ELECTRICAL	**Sub-Department**	**GENERAL**
Cadre ID	Technician - Electrical AC (22471)	**Cadre Level**	Technician-III (7755Pay Level: 2)
Intake Type	LDCE	**Intake %**	25.00%

B. Details of Vacancies

Note : Net vacancy is inclusive of PWBD vacancy as reservation for PWBD is horizontal reservation.

Net Vacancies				
#	**SC**	**ST**	**UR**	**Total**
Total	**2**	**1**	**3**	**6**

PwBD Vacancies				
	a	**b**	**c**	**d&e**
Backlog	0	0	0	0
Current	0	1	0	0
Total	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**

C.

1. It is proposed to conduct a selection to fill up the 6 vacancies (UR-3, SC-2,ST-1) of Technician Gr.III/AC in Pay Matrix Level- 2 against 25% LDCE Quota in Electrical/GS Department of TVC Division through Centralized Computer Based Test (CCBT/DCBT).

2. One vacancy is earmarked for PwBD of Hearing Impairment (D, HH)as per RBE No.74/2022.

3. Applications are invited from Assistant/AC Electrical/GS Department/TVC Division who fulfill the following eligibility conditions.

D. Service condition

1. Employees possessing two years of service as on the date of notification as Assistant/AC wing in Electrical/GS Department of TVC Division, only are eligible to apply (RBE 43/2017). No Casual Labour/Substitute service before regular appointment will be considered for the above two-year service.

2. In case of staff who are transferred from other department and subsequently joined in AC wing of Electrical/GS department are required to fulfill the service condition of two years counted from the date of joining in AC wing of Electrical/GS department.

3. Service rendered by them in the old unit will be reckoned for determining their eligibility in the new unit Subject to the condition, that the services so allowed to be counted does not exceed the length of service of their immediate senior in the new unit (RBE.No.34/2006).

4. Required medical Classification is Bee One (B-1)

E. Required Education Qualification

1. 10th class pass or its equivalent or ITI/Course Completed Act Apprenticeship in terms of list of designated trades under the Apprentice Act 1961 (RBE No.23/1998 and RBE No.68/2025).

F. Required Medical Fitness

1. Mandatory Fitness required in BEE ONE

G. Syllabus for the Examination

1. The syllabus for the written examination is enclosed as Annexure A

H. Pre Promotional Training Requirement

1. In terms of Railway Board's Lr.No. 88-E(SCT)I/42/2 dated 11.04.1991 pre-selection/ pre-promotion training to SC/ST employees is to be conducted covering the syllabus of the examination for selection to Safety category post. Pre-promotional training will be organized by the Controlling Officer covering the syllabus for prescribed period (i.e., 3 to 4 weeks) for the employees belonging to SC/ST community only when SC/ST vacancy is notified. In case, any employee expresses unwillingness for PPT, a written declaration to that effect may be obtained and forwarded to this office for record.

I. Mode of Selection

1. The selection will consist of examination (CCBT/DCBT) and perusal of record of service. A candidate has to obtain a minimum of 60% marks in Professional Ability (i.e. in CCBTDCBT examination) for being considered for further selection process.
2. Those who secure 60% marks and above in the Computer Based test(CBT) will alone be considered for further empanelment process. Securing of 60% marks in aggregate i.e. Computer Based test (CBT) and record of service is the criteria for placing on the panel subject to the extent of vacancies notified. Empanelment is purely on the basis of merit.
3. The post of Tech III/AC in Electrical being classified as Safety category post, there is no relaxation in qualifying marks for employees belonging to the category of SC/ST and hence they are also required to secure 60% marks in the CCBT/DCBT.

J. Written Examination

1. i) As per Board's letter No.E(NG)/1/2018/PM1/4 dated 14.12.2018 (RBE 196/2018) the Question Paper will be 100% Objective type multiple choice questions.
2. (ii) In terms of PBC.No.205/2016, 10% of the total marks will be set on Official Language Policy and Rules and the questions on the same will not be compulsory in nature.
3. (iii) In terms of Railway board letterNo.E(NG) 1/2018/PM 1/4 dated 14.11.2019 (RBE 194/2019) there will be negative marking @ 1/3 mark for a wrong answer for LDCE Selection where panel is arranged in the order of merit from those qualified.
4. (iv) Question Papers will be in Bilingual (English& Hindi) for the selection.
5. (v) Electronic devices will not be allowed inside the examination hall and the violators of the above guidelines will be taken up under DAR.
6. 85 marks for written test and 15 marks for record of service as per RBE 166/2003 dtd 23.09.2003.
7. There will be no supplementary examination, being an LDCE selection.

K. Procedure of drawal of Panel

1. The final panel will be drawn in the order of merit based on aggregate marks of 'Professional Ability' and 'Record of Service', being an LDCE selection, in terms of RBE 113/2009. However, a candidate must secure a minimum of 60% marks in the 'Professional Ability' and 60% marks in the aggregate for consideration of placement in the panel and the final empanelment is subject to availability of vacancies.
2. As the final panel will be drawn on the basis of merit, there will be no classification as "Outstanding".

L. Prerequisite for Submission Of Application

1. Representation/applications received beyond the target date will not be entertained and the same should be disposed of at the unit level rejecting them on account of late receipt. If there is no volunteer a NIL statement may be sent to this office. The concerned Supervisory Official is personally responsible for forwarding of applications of the employees in time.

M. Grounds for Rejection of Application

1. Applications received after the closing date

2. Applications not forwarded through the proper channel or missing the controlling officer's/ Supervisor's signature/stamp.

3. In complete applications, missing photograph, or missing signature in HRMS

4. Failure to meet the basic eligibility criteria

N. Post Empanelment Conditions

1. The empanelled staff will have to undergo mandatory promotional training as prescribed before regular posting. Employees placed on the panel are liable to be posted anywhere within the jurisdiction of TVC Division.

2. The empanelled staff possessing the qualification of ITI/Course completed Act Apprenticeship in the relevant trade in the railway establishment will be subjected to necessary trade test and those passed in the trade test will be considered for promotion as Technician-Gr.III. Such of the empanelled staff who do not possess the qualification of ITI/Course completed Act apprenticeship in the relevant trade in the Railway establishment will be imparted training as per extant rules and should pass the prescribed Trade test on completion of training (RBE No.23/1998 & RBE No.68/2025).

3. During the training period, the volunteers will continue to receive their pay and allowances as per their existing post as per PBC No.172/2016.

4. The seniority of staff on promotion in skilled grade will be regulated in terms of Para 302 of IREM i.e., with reference to the date of promotion (after passing the trade test).

5. They will be on probation for a period of 12 months from the date of absorption in the working post.

O. Tentative Timeline

1. last date for submission willingness/option	18/11/2026
2. Supervisor's shall verify the particulars of the applicants with that of the information made in the application and forwarded eligible applications only in one bunch with a covering letter to the controlling officer	23/11/2026
3. The controlling officer has to forward all the applications in one bunch to Personnel Department/TVC	27/11/2026
4. The applications received directly at this office or through supervisory official after the last date will not be accepted.	27/11/2026
5. In case of no volunteers for the above selection, a 'NIL' statement may be sent to this office.	
6. Wide publicity of this notification may be given among the staff working under your control. Please note that the last date viz 27.11.2026 is Sacrosanct.	

P. Attached Annexure List

Sr	Type	Remarks
1	Syllabus	Annexure A
2	Proforma for application	Annexure B

Signed by:

KALYAN.VETAGIRI
APO
SR/TRIVANDRUM /DIV

Copy To (HRMS ID) :

Concerned Employee: MONI.M.T (CDXQDL)/SENIOR SECTION ENGINEER (ELECTRICAL) (Level-8)/SR/(TRIVANDRUM /DIV), LAJI.T (EZXQOU)/SENIOR SECTION ENGINEER (GENERAL)/SR/(TRIVANDRUM /DIV), SUSIL.M (MGMTRP)/SENIOR SECTION ENGINEER (ELECTRICAL) (Level-8)/SR/(TRIVANDRUM /DIV), UTHAMAN NAIR.K (XHBIRX)/SENIOR SECTION ENGINEER (ELECTRICAL) (Level-8)/SR/(TRIVANDRUM /DIV), L.SUNIL (YKRMCU)/SENIOR SECTION ENGINEER (ELECTRICAL) (Level-8)/SR/(TRIVANDRUM /DIV)

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CVO/MAS for information,

Sr. DEE/G/TVC, Notice Board,
Divl. Secy's./SRMU, AI OBC & AI SC ST RE Assn./TVC

Annexures

SYLLABUS FOR WRITTEN EXAMINATION FOR THE POST OF TECHNICIAN-III/AC IN PAY BAND Rs.5200-20200 GP:Rs. 1900/-AGAINST 25% LDCE QUOTA IN ELECTRICAL (GS) DEPARTMENT

01. Must be able to read/write English/Hindi letters, numerals and metric scales.

02. Must be able to read drawings and make simple wiring diagrams.

03. Must know about various symbols used in Electrical Circuits and Panel Boards.

04. Must have knowledge of use, care and maintenance of servicing tools, measuring instruments and gauges pertaining to his trade.

05. Must have the knowledge of various electrical parameters like voltage, wattage, current capacitance, etc and the measuring units.

6. Must know types, sizes and current carrying capacity of various wires and fuses and be conversant with the use of switches, plugs, fuses, primary and secondary cells.

7. Must know the working principles of secondary cells, charging/discharging methods and testing procedures of various types of secondary cells.

8. Must know the basic principles of refrigeration and air conditioning.

9. Must have the knowledge of working of AC Units, Water Coolers, Refrigerators, Deep-freezers, types of compressors and their application.

10. Must have the knowledge of properties of refrigerant gas and its application.

11. Must have knowledge of various types of AC Coaches, equipments and their capacities.

12. Must have the basic knowledge about trouble shooting and isolation of various equipments used RMPU AC Coaches by operating Rotary/Changeover switches in different make control panels.

13. Must have the knowledge of testing, charging and commissioning of AC Units, refrigerators.

14. Must have knowledge of different types of refrigerant controls and their working.

15.Must have basic knowledge and outline working principles of inverters, ERRUS, chargers and other electronic equipments used in AC Coaches.

16. Must have knowledge about LHB coaches

17. Must have knowledge about operation and troubleshooting of Power cars and HOG circuits.

18. Must know about official language policy of Indian Government and use of Hindi in official correspondence.

19. Must able to read Hindi words and small sentences used in Log Books and instructions given on the AC Coach

ANNEXURE-B

Application form for the post of Tech-III/AC in Pay Matrix, Level- 2 against LDCE-25% quota, Elec/AC Department of TVC Division.

1	Name of the Employee (In block letters)	
2	Employee No.	
3	Designation/Station	
4	Pay Level of present post	
5	Date of Birth	
7	Date of entry in to the present Post	
8	Community (enclosed self attested latest copy if belong to SC & ST)	
9	Date of initial appointment & Division/ Unit appointed	
10	Whether joined TVC div/ P. Way unit on transfer (if Yes, Pls mentioned date type of transfer and Grade joined)	
11	Educational Qualification (enclosed self attested certificate & permission letter, wherever necessary)	
12	Present Medical Classification	
13	Details of Penalties awarded in last 03 years Minor/ Major	
14	Details of Awards received in career RB/ GM/PHOD/ DRM	
	Language preferred for written test (English/ Hindi)	

UNDERTAKING

I hereby declare that the particulars furnished by me are true and correct the best of my knowledge. I understand that, I fulfill all eligibility criteria mentioned in subject notification and if at any stage it is found that the information furnished by me is false or incorrect or I do not satisfy /fulfill the eligibility criteria, my candidature/ appointment on promotion is liable to be cancelled besides disciplinary action as per Rules.

Station: Signature of the employee.
Date : Name:
Designation:
Station:

CERTIFICATION OF CONTROLLING SUPERVISORY OFFICIAL

Certified that No DAR/ SPE/ Vig Cases are Pending/contemplated against the employee as on date. The service particulars furnished by the above named employee have been verified and found correct,

Office Seal

Signature of the forwarding official with date